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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BENC, NP

SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: HETAUDA CEMENT PLANT

REF: (A) STATE 226086; (B) KATHMANDU 4323

- 1. FURTHER TO REF A, CRESCENT ENGINEERING HAS JUST HEARD FROM LOCAL SOURCES THAT FIRM IS IN CONSIDERATION FOR PROJECT AND SHOULD SEND REP TO NEPAL ASAP.
- 2. WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY ATTEMPT DETERMINE WHETHER OR NOT THERE EXISTS A SHORT BIDDERS LIST OF THREE FIRMS AND WHETHER DILLINGHAM/CRESCENT IS ON IT. FIRM HAS ALSO HEARD UNCLASSIFIED

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THAT IHI (JAPAN), ALTHOUGH NOT AMONG ORIGINAL LOW BIDDERS, HAS REENTERED NEGOTIATING PICTURE. HAS EMBASSY HEARD ANYTHING ABOUT IHI POSITION?

3. SINCE EVENTS ARE MOVING MORE QUICKLY THAN APPARENT REF A, WOULD APPRECIATE PRIORITY ACTION THIS PROJECT SO CRESCENT CAN DETERMINE WHETHER TRIP TO NEPAL JUSTIFIED. CHRISTOPHER

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